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FRENCH BANK SALVAGE BILL

CONDITIONS FOR REOPENING.

SEVERAL SENATORS HOSTILE.

PARIS, February 19.

M. Jeanneney's report recommending the adoption of the Banque Industrielle de Chine bill, which was unanimously adopted by the Senate Finance Committee, lays down the conditions for any acceptance of a definite project to refloat the bank, including, according to the *Matin*, energetic prosecution of the guilty parties; payment of the uncalled part of the company's shares; drastic changes in the bank's directing staff both the board and high officials; exact evaluation of the bank's liabilities; future state control of the bank; and recovery of unpaid debts. Several senators have already intimated their intention to oppose the bill. Public debate has been fixed for February 28.

ANOTHER COMMITTEE.

PARIS, February 17.

The matter of the Banque Industrielle de Chine came before the Senate committee of foreign affairs. The Reporter M. Regnaud made a strong plea in favour of acceptance of the government plan and the Banque's refloating. The debate is to be resumed next week.

IRISH TENSION RELAXED.

ARRESTED SINN FEINERS RELEASED.

ALSO MORE KIDNAPPED ULSTER MEN.

LONDON, February 19.

The tension in Ireland has been further relaxed by official news that the Viceroy has ordered the release of a party of Sinn Feiners whose arrest by Ulster supporters while allegedly proceeding to a football match in Londonderry had been the cause of much agitation in South Ireland. On the other hand Mr. Michael Collins has ordered the release of eighteen further kidnapped Ulster men.

TRADE WITH THE FAR EAST.

LORD NORTHCLEIFF'S VIEWS.

MARSEILLES, February 19.

Lord Northcliffe declared that he was convinced in spite of the serious Indian Egyptian and Palestinian problems, the British Empire and the British share in the commerce of Far Eastern countries were never relatively in a more hopeful condition. France was the second colonising power in the world. She had territories which were models of organisation but some of them were insufficiently known to the British or to the French themselves.

SEAMEN'S STRIKE.

AN ENCOURAGING MEETING.

A more hopeful spirit regarding the strike seemed to be abroad this morning, although no definite settlement is yet in view. The situation has become more encouraging following Saturday's meeting at the Tung Wah Hospital. It is possible that this meeting may have very far reaching effects. It may possibly dispose of the points at issue between the Government and strikers, without a settlement of which the shipowners must still be in the back ground. Saturday's meeting was of a private nature but it has been described as the best that has been held between the Tung Wah Hospital and the delegates of the striking seamen. It was satisfactory both from the point of view of the earnest consideration given to the matters under discussion and the result. At this gathering the representatives of the Tung Wah Hospital placed before the seamen certain proposals to which they agreed. These have now been forwarded to the Government and although they cannot yet be made public it is understood they bring the chances of arbitration considerably nearer. The proposals and the replies will be awaited with interest.

The position of the Tung Wah Hospital in the matter was discussed with a well known Chinese gentleman. "The Hospital," he said, referring to Saturday's meeting "considers that it has done all it can. It is unlikely that there will be any further meetings because I think

they would simply come back to the same points." He explained however that this did not mean that the Hospital would take no further interest in effecting a settlement. It is still willing and anxious to do all possible.

As stated above, the shipowners are in the background just now pending a solution of the difficulties confronting the Government and the strikers. A few ships entered and cleared during the weekend. The most interesting arrival was the "Kwangchow" from Hoibow this morning. She brought in a good cargo of bullocks, pigs, fowls and fresh eggs. This is the first cargo of such a nature which has arrived for some days. Another arrival was the "Uda" with motor spirit for the Asiatic Petroleum Company. The clearances included the "Azama Maru" bound for Hainan Head for salvage operations on the wrecked "Manji Maru." The "Yodo Maru," cleared for Whampoa with a cargo of coal. The "Keystone State" and "Golden State" have also departed.

NO SETTLEMENT YET.

This morning the seamen's delegates were informed of the Government's attitude on the proposals forwarded through the Tung Wah Hospital. While the shipowners have made a further concession the Government stands firm on the question of reopening the Union. The seamen are now considering the reply. On present information there seem small chances of the deadlock being removed. The proposals placed before the Government were as follows:-

PRINCE'S DELHI VISIT.

IMPRESSIVE SCENES.

DELHI, February 11.

The Prince of Wales received an enthusiastic reception. The streets were gaily decorated and were packed with spectators. It is officially estimated that 100,000 people were present. The success of the visit broke the halt in the native city which the non-cooperators' organisation then called off.

The Prince, who is residing in a charming little house specially built for him in the grounds of the viceregal lodge, unveiled the all-Indian Edward VII memorial. This was an impressive spectacle.

The Prince was entertained by the Viceroy at a state banquet of great splendour. He was formally welcomed to India by the Viceroy at a durbar at which four maharajahs delivered addresses of welcome on behalf of the ruling princes and chiefs. The State Council and Legislative Assembly also presented an address. Immense crowds watched the brilliant corteges.

The Prince also laid the foundation stone of the Kitchener College for the sons of Indian officers. A great military pageant was watched by crowds of spectators.

INDIA'S ARMY.

SAFETY LIMIT.

DELHI, February 19.

Lord Rawlinson, Commander-in-Chief of the Army in India, in a statement to English and Indian journalists, explained the necessity of stronger armies in India. He declared that the frontier tribes if they combined could raise 130,000 splendid well-armed fighters. He pointed out that British troops in India and the Indian cavalry had already been reduced and the military had been called out 24 times in February to assist the police. India's contribution to naval defence was only £100,000. He had done his utmost to reduce expenditure on the army but he declined to exceed the safety limit.

EGYPT'S FUTURE.

AND PRESENT.

LONDON, February 19.

While General Allenby is about to go to Egypt to communicate to the Sultan the Egyptian agreement which it is unofficially stated provides for abolition of the protectorate and establishment of the fullest responsible government with safeguards for imperial communications and protection of foreigners, there has been a series of anti-British revolver attacks in Cairo resulting up to the present in two deaths, namely Mr. Aldred Brown, controller-general of the Ministry of Education, and an engineer named Michael Jordan, a New Zealander employed by a French firm. Two other British officials were wounded but not seriously.

SHIPOWNERS MEET.

The shipowners had a meeting on Sunday and their answer was given to the men's delegates this morning by the Secretary for Chinese Affairs. This was that the owners agreed to concede to the request of the seamen to the extent of letting their per cent, offer be taken as the minimum figure from which the work of the arbitrators should start.

On the question of opening the Union the Government says this remains as in the last proclamation. This, it will be remembered, requires the seamen to return to work as an evidence of freedom from unlawful claims.

Regarding arbitration the Secretary for Chinese Affairs stated that H. H. the Governor will be prepared to consider any method of appointing arbitrators for his final decision that may be agreed upon between the two parties.

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ENTERTAINMENTS.

February 20. Coronet Theatre.
Mildred Harris, Chaplin in "The
Inferior Sex." Hongkong Theatre.
Alice Mann in "Water Lily." World
Theatre, Gladys Walton in "The Man
Tamer," also the Great Garcia
Troupe, Nina, Bumps & Co. Kowloon
Theatre. "In His Own Home Town."
February 20. Society for Prevention
of Cruelty to Animals, fancy dress
ball. City Hall, 9.15 p.m.
February 21. Kowloon Theatre.
Roulette Dance.
February 24. Royal Dockyard
Recreation Club annual ball. City
Hall, 8.30 p.m.

SPORTING EVENTS.

February 20. Hongkong Jockey
Club race meeting, first day. The
Challenge Cup.
February 21. Hongkong Jockey
Club race meeting, second day. The
Hongkong Derby.
February 22. Hongkong Jockey
Club race meeting, third day. The
Champion Stakes.
February 23. Hongkong Jockey
Club race meeting, fourth day. The
Hongkong Handicap.
February 25. Hongkong Boxing
Association's tournament. Theatre
Royal, 9.15 p.m.
March 31. Hongkong Boxing
Association, novices' tournament.
Theatre Royal.
April 1. Hongkong Boxing
Association, novices' tournament.
Theatre Royal.

OTHER EVENTS.

March 2. Hongkong Horticultural
Society's annual show. Botanic
Gardens.

PUBLIC AUCTION SALES.

February 23. Lammert Bros. from
safe, typewriters, sextant, etc. Sales
Rooms, 11 a.m.
February 24. Hughes and Hough,
household furniture and piano. Sales
Rooms, 2.30 p.m.
March 10. Hughes and Hough, old
and surplus victualling stores. Kow-
loon Naval Depot, 9.30 a.m.

COMPANY MEETINGS.

March 3. The Hongkong Rope
Manufacturing Co., Ltd., 38th
ordinary annual meeting. 1. George's
Building, 5.ater Road, 11 a.m.
March 3. Humphreys Estate and
Thames Co. Ltd. extraordinary
general meeting. Hongkong Hotel,
11.30 a.m.
March 4. Bank of East Asia, Ltd.,
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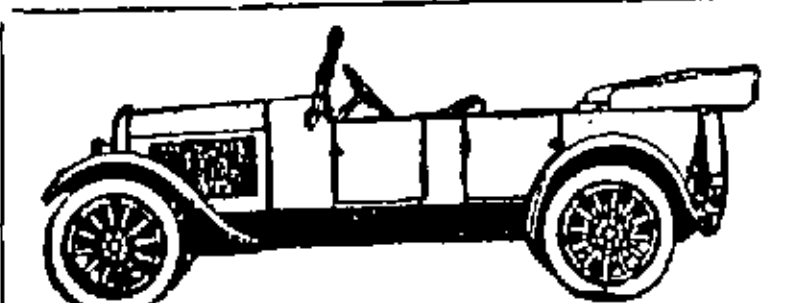
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RASPUTIN'S MURDER.

**SIR BASIL THOMSON'S
ACCOUNT.**

Sir Basil Thomson, having lost the newly created post of Chief of the Political Police, has been contributing his reminiscences to the *Times*. It might be thought that the case of Rasputin would not be likely to come before the English political police, but it seems to have come before Sir Basil Thomson in some way, and it is to be assumed that up to a certain point the political police is international. It should perhaps be explained that Sir Basil has no desire to show how helpless political police are in preventing political crime, though it might be thought this was his object in the following story. He says:—

Many accounts of the assassination of Rasputin have been published, varying in detail. I examined one of the persons principally concerned in the business, who had no motive for misrepresenting what had occurred. All the assassins were convinced that Rasputin was engaged in a plot to persuade the Tsar to make a separate peace with Germany, and just before Christmas Rasputin is said to have revealed the whole plan in a burst of confidence. The separate peace was to be proclaimed on January 1st, 1917. How true this part of the story might be I was not in a position to judge. Rasputin was under triple police protection. Besides the Imperial detective, there was one appointed by a group of bankers and another, it was alleged, by the Germans [?]. On the fatal evening Rasputin visited the house of Prince Yussouf, and was taken down to a dining-room in the basement. There some bottles of port and Madira specially prepared for him were set out. The wine had previously been tasted upon one of the dogs that infested the courtyard of Russian houses, and the dog had died almost immediately. Rasputin drank altogether six glasses without any apparent effect, and his companion became persuaded that this sinister, herculean monk was under Satanic protection. Making some excuse, he climbed to the room above, where his companions were assembled and returned to the room with a revolver which they lent him. He found Rasputin leaning on his hands, and puffing as if he were not feeling well. Presently he staggered to his feet and went over to an ikon. At that moment while he was standing before the ikon the pistol was fired. He uttered a great cry and fell backwards on the floor.

CRUELTY DETAIL.
On hearing the shot those who were waiting upstairs came down with a

doctor, who examined the wound and pronounced life extinct. They then went away to make arrangements about the removal of the body, but one of them came back after a few minutes to make sure that he was really dead, for they all seemed to have believed that a Satanic power had given him superhuman strength. The pulse was not beating. The man drew aside the monk's habit to feel the heart, and at that moment Rasputin with a terrible cry seized him by the throat. There was a terrible struggle, for Rasputin was a man of great physical strength, but the other succeeded in throwing him and escaping from the room. Upstairs he found a member of the Duma, who still had three cartridges left in his revolver. The two men came out on the landing and looking down saw the great bullet-head of Rasputin ascending the stairs. He was crawling up on all fours like a bear. They withdrew again into the room and saw him stagger to his feet and make for the door into the courtyard. The snow was thick upon the ground and it was dark, but they could see him against the background of snow and the second man fired three shots. Rasputin continued to run a few paces then fell close to the gateway leading into the street. He had been shot through the head.

One of the assassins was standing by the body when there came an incessant knocking on the gate. It must have been like the famous scene in Shelley's "Conci." The police had heard the shots and had sent to inquire what was wrong. The body was lying only a few feet from the gate. Boldness was the only course, so the assassin opened the gate and took a high tone with the constable, explaining that here had been a dinner party and that one of the guests had fired his revolver at a dog in the courtyard and killed it. The man went off apparently satisfied.

There were now several things to do, the body had to be dragged into the house and a dog had to be killed and hid in its place. My informant was doing this single-handed when he heard voices in the house. The same policeman had been sent back to the front door to make further inquiries. He was questioning the assassin who had entirely lost his head and had blurted out, "Yes, we have killed Rasputin." My informant slipped boldly into the "branch." "Look at him," he said, "the wine has turned his head. When the dog was shot I said: 'what a pity! he was not Rasputin,' and this friend of mine in his fuddled state has taken it literally and thinks we have done it." It is difficult to understand how even a Russian policeman could have accepted such

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an explanation, but one has to remember that the assassination of such a personage as Rasputin, who was under direct Imperial protection, was to the mind of the ordinary Russian inconceivable, and that he was questioning persons of high rank. While the police agent was recounting his visit to his superior a car arrived and the body was taken to the bridge and dropped into the Neva, where, as we all know, it was found some three days later.

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INTIMATIONS

THE HONGKONG ROPE MANU-
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THE THIRTY-EIGHTH ORDINARY
ANNUAL MEETING OF SHARE-
HOLDERS in the above Company will
be held at St. George's Building, Clarendon
Road, Victoria, on FRIDAY, the 3rd
March, 1922, at 11 o'clock a.m. for the
purpose of receiving a statement of
accounts and the report of the General
Managers for the year ending 31st
December, 1921, and electing a Con-
sulting Committee and Auditors.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the
Company will be CLOSED from WED-
NESDAY, the 22nd February, 1922,
until FRIDAY, the 3rd March, 1922,
both days inclusive.

SHEWAN, TOMES & CO.,
General Managers.

Hongkong, February 17, 1922.

HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB.

RACE MEETING 1922.

ON MONDAY, TUESDAY & WED-
NESDAY, the 20th, 21st and
22nd, February, all Departments will
be CLOSED at 1 p.m.

On these days

The Hongkong Dispensary will be

opened for the purpose of dispensing

prescriptions from 6 p.m. to 7.30 p.m.

A. S. WATSON & CO., LIMITED.

Hongkong, February 16, 1922.

HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB.

RACE MEETING 1922.

"D.A.J." extend a cordial

invitation to all

their friends to attend the forthcoming

Race Meeting at their Private Stand.

No Cards are being issued.

HONGKONG HOTEL CO., LTD.

Proposed New Issue of Shares to

Members of the Register on

17th February, 1922.

THE TRANSFER BOOKS of the

Company will be CLOSED from

the 18th to 25th February, 1922, both

days inclusive.

Dated the 7th February, 1922.

By Order of the Board,

H. N. BEAUREPAIRE,

Secretary.

Hongkong, February 7, 1922.

THE DAIRY FARM, ICE & COLD

STORAGE CO., LTD.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that

the Transfer Books of the

Company will be CLOSED from WEDNES-

DAY, the 22nd February, to TUES-

DAY, the 28th February, 1922, both

days inclusive, during which period no

transfers of shares can be registered.

By Order of the Board of Directors.

M. MANOK,

Secretary.

Hongkong, February 13, 1922.

HONGKONG BOXING

ASSOCIATION.

NEXT TOURNAMENT

SATURDAY, February 25th 1922,

at the

THEATRE ROYAL, at 9.15 p.m.

Ten Round Featherweight Contest

A. B. Chadwick v. A. B. Hindle

Ten Round Middleweight Contest.

O. S. Lewenden v. A. B. Dunnean.

Ten Round Catchweight Contest.

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INTIMATIONS.

HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB.

RACE MEETING, 1922.

MONDAY, TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY

AND SATURDAY.

February 20th, 21st, 22nd & 25th.

TICKETS OF ADMISSION to the

GRAND STAND and ENCLOSURE

may be obtained from Messrs. KELLY and

WATSON, Limited, or at the Gate. Price

\$12 for the Meeting or \$4 per day.

No one admitted without a Ticket, to be

shown to the Ticket Inspector at the Gate.

H. BIRKETT,

Clerk of the Course.

Hongkong, February 11, 1922.

HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB.

THE STEWARDS request the pleasure

of the presence of the LADIES at

the GRAND STAND and the EN-

CLOSURE during the Races.

A Stand and Enclosure will be reserved

for Members, Members' Wives and

Families; tickets are now ready and may

be obtained from Messrs. Linstead &

Davis. All tickets must be produced to

gain admission.

H. BIRKETT,

Clerk of the Course.

Hongkong, February 11, 1922.

HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB.

PASSES for Servants will be issued on

application to the Undersecretary.

No Servants will be allowed inside

the ENCLOSURE of the Race

Course during Race Days WITHOUT

TICKETS, which can be had on application

to the Undersecretary.

These Tickets are only available for

Servants while in attendance on their

employers or when on duty at the various

Stands.

Any Chinese found loitering about with

Servants' passes in their possession will

be removed from the Enclosure.

H. BIRKETT,

Clerk of the Course.

Hongkong, February 11, 1922.

RACE WEEK

A FANCY DRESS BALL

in aid of the

SOCIETY FOR THE PREVENTION OF

CRUELTY TO ANIMALS.

MONDAY, Feb. 20th, 1922, at 9.15.

at the

CITY HALL.

Tickets \$3. Booking at Moutrie's.

\$1 fine for non fancy dress will be

collected at the door.

3 Lucky number Prizes for those in

Fancy Dress.

No admittance except by ticket.

The Bar will be under the control of

the Hongkong Hotel and Refreshments

can be obtained in exchange for

coupons.

Books of coupons valued \$2.00 will

be sold near the entrance to the Bar

on the ground floor.

Chits will not be accepted.

The value of all unused Coupons,

which it is requested should be handed

to the Committee or Stewards, will be

refused by the Hongkong Hotel for

the credit of the Fund.

Hongkong, February 7, 1922.

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NATIONAL EDUCATION.

LORD HALDANE'S WARNING.

Viscount Haldane, speaking on
"Education as a National Asset" at a
meeting of the Kent Education
League, at the Opera House,
Tunbridge Wells, said he spoke with
the deepest consciousness of the
financial difficulties of nations and the
need for economy. Nations were
competing for the foremost place, and
because he wished Great Britain to
continue to hold the foremost place
that he declared they could not do
so unless they maintained the level of
education.

Education, like business, must be
constantly developed, adjusting itself
to the new requirements of know-
ledge; because what was good enough
twenty years ago was not good enough
today. Therefore it was most de-
plorable, in the name of economy, to
try to arrest progress. To do so
would not mean Britain standing still;
it would fall behind, and other nations
would go ahead.

Germany was constantly develop-
ing its education with a thoroughness
which he wished was being reproduced
in Britain. He had been to
Germany to study methods there, and
came back impressed and alarmed by
the determination with which Ger-
many, having set aside all ideas of
gaining the supremacy of the world
by war, was turning herself to another
powerful engine—that of education—to
put herself in the foremost place
in the world. In the interests of
economy and in the interests of
equity to pay off the war debt, it
was essential to keep up a high and
progressive level in our educational
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BIRTH.

KING "On February 19th, at Tsing
Sha Tsui Kowloon, the wife of
T. H. King, of a daughter."

The China Mail.

"TRUTH, JUSTICE, PUBLIC SERVICE"

HONGKONG, MONDAY, FEB. 20, 1922.

TO-DAY'S PREOCCUPATIONS.

Of our life out here, might the French proverb be born, that proverb which says he more it changes, the more it is the same thing. On Friday our leading article discussed certain aspects of company directors, and as if to give it point we had the Bank meeting and the Waterboat meeting. Sunday saw some typical yacht racing, and to-day we suppose we may take it for granted that the minds of our readers are less interested in newspaper topics than in whether Nestor or Jaybird will win the first race this afternoon. Must Roman Pride be the pride of the Maidens, and Spotted Sand be spotted as a certain dividend payer in the Third Race? These are free "tips," but they are not matters we can enlarge upon in the newspaper way. Perhaps, in view of what the Chairman at the Bank Meeting said about newspapers and the Consortium, this is just as well. All newspapers are like well-meaning public servants, we suppose. Certainly the China Mail is, and we felt Miss Doleful while reading Mr. Edkin's remarks about superfluous newspaper explanations of the Consortium. A small taste of comfort, like a whiff of Stephen's, (this analogy may be appreciated after the

Fourth Race) reached us with the reflection that we could not be one of the papers he had in mind, which, we gather, had been putting into the Chinese mind the suspicion that was expressed in Shakespeare's phraseology as "protesting too much," or in a well known French form which says he who volunteers self excuses himself accuses. It may well be that in trying to be informative, newspapers may be undiplomatic. There are more factors to consider in every problem than any human mind, even the alert mind of a business man, is likely to observe in full focus. On the home run of yesterday's yacht race, from Pengshan, La Cigale sailed up the northern or Kowloon side, and Feathers chose the Southern or Hongkong route, believing that the adverse tide would be stronger on La Cigale's route. So it was, and for a brief while the smaller craft overhauled and was in front of the big fellow. It was overlooked that when at three the tide turned and became advantageous, the others would benefit by it. It was more of a drifting than a sailing match for a while. In the same way we think something was overlooked at the Waterboat meeting when Mr. Seth was ruled out of order on the ground that the Articles of Association empowered the directors to do a certain thing the opposite of what he was proposing. They could have said: "Mr. Seth. The directors have considered your arguments, and have decided against them, and as they have the power to put their own decision into effect, your amendment will be useless." That would have been all right. But he was not out of order, because there is nothing in such an Article to prevent the directors, should they be impressed by the arguments and wishes of the shareholders, from obtaining from the special power such an

article gives them. However, as we have already suggested, this is not the time for thinking out or explaining such matters. "They're off" is an exclamation that to-day has two meanings.

Crime Wave.

Local sceptics smiled on Saturday when they read the excuse advanced by a Chinese from Pittsburgh for bringing a revolver into the Colony. Accustomed, he said, to wear jewellery in the United States he carried the weapon for personal protection. Local sceptics smiled because America appealed to them as a far safer place than (say) Yumai. That they were wrong latest mail news from New York would seem to indicate. A "crime wave" is sweeping the country and the Washington Attorney-General has been impelled to request his New York colleague to call a conference of all public prosecutors to consider action for the better enforcement of the criminal law. Authorities differ, we are told, regarding the cause of the alarming frequency of atrocious murders, daring highway robberies, desperate acts of burglary, and the invasion of shops and banks by armed desperadoes who do not hesitate to shoot whenever resistance is offered. "It is true of New York and many other large cities that never a night passes without citizens being held up at the pistol point, even in main thoroughfares, and robbed, beaten, and frequently killed. Various causes are suggested—prohibition, bad liquor, hard times, and easy bail. How urgent is the conference of public prosecutors to evolve some tangible plan to check this lawless wave is shown by the alarming way crime continues unabated in spite of the efforts of swarms of police and detectives. Verily our Pittsburgh friend did need his gun.

Staggering.

Hongkong's losses through the shipping strike must run into millions but they pile into insignificance beside those of the Homeland last year when it is estimated trade disputes lost the country 86,000,000 working days. The figure is staggering—more than 235,000 years! The number of workers involved was approximately 1,800,000. According to the *Labour Gazette*, the number of trade disputes begun in 1921 causing a stoppage of work was 800. This figure, startling though it sounds, was less than one half the 1920 total and much below the totals for either 1918 or 1919. Owing, however, to the magnitude of the coal mining dispute, it is explained, the number of workpeople involved in disputes last year was little less than in 1920 and greater than in any previous year except 1919. As one might expect, with a total so appalling, the aggregate loss of time through disputes last year was much in excess of any hitherto recorded. Few men have eighty years to live, and the mind recoils at the thought of 350,000 years' labour lost. Had the country not given proof of its strength by surviving this reckless waste one would have promptly declared, as one would have considered the prospect of a couple of months ago, that it must mean ruin complete and final. And the homeland, like the Colony, is still far from that.

A Washout.

The Commission appointed by the Supreme Council to investigate the question has declared the Leipzig trials of alleged war criminals to be a washout. The Commission's unanimous finding against the Leipzig Court was that, except in a few cases, the Court did not try to ascertain the truth; that the few punishments which it inflicted were too light; that it would be useless to submit further cases for trial by it; and that the Allies should demand from Germany the surrender of those tried for retrial by allied Courts. It has been pointed out by the writer of a book on the subject that the main facts that emerged from the trials were that a criminal act is not excused by the orders of a superior officer, and that German soldiers were tried and punished like civilian criminals for acts committed in the pursuit of their patriotic military duties. It was a German Court and its sentences however moderate they may have been, must have had a considerable moral effect in German eyes, while Allied sentences, as the *Daily Chronicle* emphasizes, would have none. The actual results of the trials show that five out of six British prosecutions were successful, while the French were only able to show three one charge out of five and the Belgians were "blown out" on this only case. France and Belgium will probably insist on the recommendations of the Commission being given effect to but the view plan would be to let matters rest where they are.

A FORTY YEARS' TEST.

CHAMBERLAIN'S Cough Remedy has been curing coughs and colds for the past forty years and has gained in popularity every year. While better recommendation is required for sale in all Colonies and Protectorates.

HONGKONG'S 1922 RACE MEETING.

FIXTURE OPENS IN FINE WEATHER.

RIPOUSE BAY CHIEF WINS GARRISON CUP.

Smiling a trifle wanly at first though he peeped up banks of cloud the sun peeped up as the morning advanced and when the first saddling bell sent out its clattering summons at 11.30 Hongkong's 1922 Race Meeting had opened in pleasant weather.

The strike pushed into the background by the most important social event in all the year, Hongkong settled down seriously to the business of enjoying itself. And that was no difficult matter with such fine weather and in so charming a setting as Happy Valley proved to-day. For the pageant of colour that moved around and about the stands the smiling green of the hills furnished a pleasant background.

It was good to see that the Jockey Club people had made an earnest effort to prevent the congestion which has hitherto made it a struggle to get tickets in the "straight out" department of the pari-mutuel. The cash sweeps have been transferred from their old situation under the stand to the entrance end of the building where the "place" betting is done.

Last week's rains did not improve the track and this had interfered a good deal with training operations. The going was on the heavy side this morning and the calculations made by students of "form" stood a good chance of being upset. Still as most of the Derby candidates were out to-day's fixture was full of interest as a "pipeopener" from which useful deductions might be drawn for the big day to-morrow.

Arriving just after 12.30 with Lady Stubbs and accompanied by his private secretary, Mr. Eric Rice, H.E. the Governor was welcomed by the Chief Justice, Sir William Rees Davies and Sir Paul Chater.

When the field in the first race was sent away, well on time, a noon big crowd had already gathered. By tram-car, motor-car and ricksha they came and the Hongkong Hotel's new motor Coaches, playing at ten minute intervals from the Hotel to Happy Valley, had their share of the traffic.

On the lawn the band of H. M. S. "Hawkins" by kind permission of Admiral Duff, furnished a capital series of instrumental selections under the baton of Bandmaster E. J. M. Watson. Their programme was as follows:—

March....."Leonidas."
Overture....."French Comedy."
Fox Trot....."Top Hole."
Valse....."Love's Lullaby."
Selection....."Patience."
One Step....."Speed."
Fox Trot....."Ain't We Got Fun."
Selection....."Irene."
One Step....."Hongkong."
Selection....."Francis and Day."
Fox Trot....."Avalon."
Valse....."Blowing Bubbles."
One Step....."Camouflage."
Fox Trot....."Whispering."

The names of the officials follow:—
Patron.—H. E. the Governor, Sir R. E. Stubbs, K.C.M.G.
Honorary Stewards.—H. E. Vice-Admiral Sir A. L. Duff, K.C.B., H. Major-General Sir John Fowler, K.C.M.G., C.B., D.S.O., Hon. Mr. Claud Savern, C.M.G., and Commodore W. Bowden-Smith, C.B.E.

Stewards.—The Hon. "Sir C. G. Chater, Kt., C.M.B., Lieut.-Col. G. K. Hall Brutton, Messrs. R. M. Dyer, and H. Humphreys, Sir Wm. Rees Davies, Kt., Messrs. D. G. M. Bernard, and J. Bell Irving, Brig.-Gen. E. B. Macnaghten, C.M.G., D.S.O., the Hon. Mr. A. G. Stephen, and Mr. H. P. White.
Stewards in Charge of the Scale.—Lieut.-Col. G. K. Hall Brutton, and Mr. Henry Humphreys.
Judge.—Mr. F. B. Marshall.
Assistant Judge.—Mr. D. E. Clark.
Starter.—Brig. Gen. E. B. Macnaghten, C.M.G., D.S.O.
Second Starter.—Mr. W. D. Fiddes-Wilson.
Time Keeper.—Mr. M. S. Sassoon.
Urgeson.—Dr. C. Forsyth.
Secretaries.—Mr. E. J. Chapman.
Treasurers.—Messrs. Linthead and Davis.
Clock of the Course.—Mr. H. Bickett.

1.—THE WONG NEI CHONG STAKES.—Winner \$800. Second \$200. Third \$100. For "A" Class Subscription Grifins and Horse Bazaar Subscription Grifins of any Season non-winners. Weight for inches as per scale. (Jockey allowance). Entrance \$10. Half a Mile.

Pari-mutuel:—
Winner, \$ 10.00
Places:—1st \$ 6.10
" 2nd \$ 7.10
" 3rd \$ 12.20
Cash Sweeps:—
Ticket No. 248 1st \$ 975.80
" 72 2nd \$ 278.80
" 187 3rd \$ 139.40
Unplaced ponies \$ 250.00
Commission \$ 411.00
Total \$ 2,055.00

Unplaced ponies, \$25.00 each, ticket Nos. 798, 332, 90, 56, 35, 125, 26, 105, 5, 275.

Dr. C. Forsyth's Hurry up 150lb (Mr. Doyle) 1
Mr. John Peel's Cassia River, 155lb (Mr. Dupree) 2
Mr. Dynasty's King Harry, 158lb (Mr. White) 3
Mr. J. M. C. Basto's Adversariat, 152lb (Mr. Soares) 0
Mr. John Bell-Irving's Moses Mainchance, 168lb (Mr. Irving) 0
Mr. Cragholm's Bajardo, 150lb (Mr. Fisher) 0
Mr. H. B. L. Dowbrigg's Batman, 155lb (Mr. Seth) 0
Mr. Duds' Fishop, 150lb (Mr. Remedios) 0
Mr. Dyer's Kilmarnock, 158lb (Mr. Knoll) 0
Hon. Mr. P. H. Holyoak's Daybird, 153lb (Mr. Sewell) 0
Mr. A. R. Lowe's The Mite, 147lb (Mr. Spinks) 0
Mr. Topside's Mountain Goat, 152lb (Mr. Pinkerton) 0
Mr. Towers' Majolica Tile, 150lb (Mr. Thompson) 0

One false start. When they got away, Hurry-up, led, followed by Cassia River and King Harry. They kept the lead throughout with Majolica Tile chasing them strongly. At the bend, King Harry passed Cassia River. Hurry-up kept up his lead at the home stretch and won easily by three lengths. Cassia River spurred on the outside and beat King Harry for second place by a length. Time: 1.02.3.

2.—THE MAIDEN STAKES.—Winner \$600. Second \$200. Third \$100. For China Ponies bona fide Grifins on date of entry. Weight for inches as per scale. Subscription Grifins of both Classes of this Season 1921-1922 allowed 7lb. Entrance \$10. Three quarters of a Mile.

Pari-mutuel:—
Winner, \$ 10.10
Places:—1st \$ 5.30
" 2nd \$ 5.90
" 3rd \$ 5.90
Cash Sweeps:—
Ticket No. 110 1st \$ 1,249.50
" 174 2nd \$ 357.00
" 407 3rd \$ 178.50
Unplaced ponies \$ 175.00
Commission \$ 490.00
Total \$ 2,490.00

Unplaced ponies, \$25.00 each; ticket Nos. 424, 405, 168, 798, 170, 123, 350.

Messrs. G. H. Potts and Ellis Hayim Kiangsu King, 155lb (Mr. Hill) 1
Mr. Henry Humphreys' Flying Mouse, 155lb (Mr. Knoll) 2
Mr. R. Macgregor's The Dunlin, 149lb (Mr. Dupree) 3
Messrs. J. Bell-Irving and J. J. Patersons' Pull Devil Pull Baker, 155lb (Mr. Bell-Irving) 0
Mr. Cottager's New Year Gift, 155lb (Mr. Seth) 0
Mr. Dyer's Killiecrankie, 155lb (Mr. Thompson) 0
Sir Ellis Kadoorie's Shek O Chief, 151lb (Mr. Moller) 0
Mr. Nemaze's Lenjan, 152lb (Mr. Nemaze) 0
Mr. Hector Sassoon's Roman Duck, 155lb (Mr. White) 0
Mr. Tower's Enamelled Tile, 151lb (Mr. Bulteel) 0

Following four false ones the field got away to a poor start. Flying Mouse was the first to show out from the pack, but going up the incline towards the Rock, Kiangsu King took the lead. Mr. Bell-Irving's Pull Devil Pull Baker was running third but had to give place to Shek O Chief. Coming into the home straight Kiangsu King and Flying Mouse were fighting it out for first place with the Dunlin coming up in a third to displace Shek O Chief. Kiangsu King finished a length and a half in front of Flying Mouse, with the Dunlin third a good four lengths behind. The time taken was 1 min. 37.4 secs.

3.—THE KALGAN PLATE.—Winner \$800. Second \$200. Third \$100. For "B" Class Subscription Grifins and "B" Class Subscription Grifins of any Season non-winners. Weight for inches as per scale. (Jockey allowance). Entrance \$10. Half a Mile.

Pari-mutuel:—
Winner, \$ 64.10
Places:—1st \$ 6.40
" 2nd \$ 6.30
" 3rd \$ 5.20 & 5.30

Cash Sweeps:—
Ticket No. 50 1st \$ 1,337.70
" 101 2nd \$ 382.20
" 460 & 151 3rd \$ 95.55 each.
Unplaced ponies \$ 325.00
Commission \$ 559.00
Total \$ 2,795.00

Unplaced ponies, \$25.00 each, ticket Nos. 260, 453, 151, 44, 523, 101, 181, 339, 469, 487, 489, 50, 165, 770, 199, 450.
Mr. Topside Mountain Bear, (late Timour), 161lb (Mr. Hill) 1
Mr. Tower's Mosaic Tile, 146lb (Mr. Knoll) 2
Mr. John Bell-Irving's Miserrimus Doleful, 168lb (Mr. Bell-Irving) 3
Lady Chater's Bull Finch, 152lb (Mr. Vida) 0
Mr. Cottager's Knockuh Leg, 146lb (Mr. Doyle) 0
Mr. Cragholm's Arvakur, 153lb (Mr. Fisher) 0
Mr. H. B. L. Dowbrigg's Stockman, 155lb (Mr. Seth) 0
Mrs. Charles Forsyth's Pogo, 152lb (Mr. White) 0
Mr. F. S. Harrison's Whistling Rufus, 144lb (Mr. Sewell) 0
Mrs. Montague Edes' Jetsam, 152lb (Mr. Soares) 0
Mr. G. C. Moxon's Columbus, 147lb (Mr. Moses) 0
Mr. John Peel's North River, 158lb (Mr. Dupree) 0
Mr. Robert's Kilmacolin, 144lb (Mr. Bulteel) 0
Mr. Soares' Viper, 150lb (Mr. Spinks) 0
Hon. Mr. A. G. Stephen's Aloha, 152lb (Mr. Pinkerton) 0
His Excellency Sir Edward Stubbs' The Don (late Leotard), 150lb (Mr. Thompson) 0

General Macnaghten had some difficulty in getting the field of 16 lined up but eventually got them away in a fairly good start. Mosaic Tile, the favourite, and Bullfinch led the rest and at the Rock they were racing together neck and neck. Mountain Bear was close behind and coming up at the bend challenged Mosaic Tile for the rest of the way, just scraping home by a short head. Bullfinch and Miserrimus Doleful, battling for third place two lengths behind, dead-heated. Time: 1 min. 2.1/5 secs.

4.—THE VALLEY STAKES.—Winner \$750. Second \$250. Third \$150. For Subscription Grifins as per scale. Entrance \$10. Three quarters of a Mile.

Pari-mutuel:—
Winner, \$ 6.20
Places:—1st \$ 5.30
" 2nd \$ 6.10
Cash Sweeps:—
Ticket No. 56 1st \$ 1,748.60
" 598 2nd \$ 499.60
" 72 3rd \$ 249.80
Unplaced ponies \$ 50.00
Commission \$ 637.00
Total \$ 3,185.00

Unplaced ponies, \$25.00 each; Nos. 306, 72, 143, 598, 56.

Mr. G. C. Moxon's Stephanotis, 155lb (Mr. Hill) 1
Mr. John Peel's West River, 155lb (Mr. Dupree) 2
Mr. C. R. Thompson's Ashes, 155lb (Mr. Thompson) 3
Holyoak skw. Jaybird, 155lb (Mr. White) 0
Mr. Nemaze's Arsenjan, 155lb (Mr. Nemaze) 0
Five starters were posted but only four turned up at the post. Gaybird was the defaulter. The quartette got away well and Stephanotis took the lead at once with West River running second. Stephanotis had the race well in hand all the way, though West River kept up gamely, and was able to win by four lengths. Arsenjan and Ashes were many lengths behind the leading pair. Time 1 min. 36.3/5 sec.

5.—THE VICTORIA STAKES.—Winner \$600. Second \$200. Third \$100. For China Ponies. Weight for inches as per scale. Bona fide Grifins on date of entry allowed 5lb. Subscription Grifins of both Classes of this Season 1921-1922 allowed 10lb. Entrance \$10. One Mile.

Pari-mutuel:—
Winner, \$ 93.10
Places:—1st \$ 14.30
" 2nd \$ 13.80
" 3rd \$ 6.40
Cash Sweeps:—
Ticket No. 764 1st \$ 2,495.50
" 777 2nd \$ 713.00
" 162 3rd \$ 350.00
Unplaced ponies \$ 75.00
Commission \$ 910.00
Total \$ 4,550.00

Unplaced ponies, \$25.00 each; ticket Nos. 764, 611, 372, 777, 614, 162.

Mr. Gilpin's Sir Colin, 152lb (Mr. Knoll) 2
Messrs. G. H. Potts and Ellis Hayim's Fighting King, 155lb (Mr. Hill) 3
Sir Paul's Hope Dahlia, 155lb (Mr. Bulteel) 0
Sir Paul's Sportsman Dahlia, 155lb (Mr. Vida) 0
Mr. Soares' Spotted Sand, 155lb (Mr. Soares) 0

It was a nice start, Sportsman Dahlia led passing the post, followed by Spotted Sand, Hope Dahlia, Sir Colin, and Benz. Fighting King was last. Sportsman Dahlia was leading by several lengths at the Football Stand, with Spotted Sand second and Sir Colin third. At the half mile Sportsman Dahlia was still leading by many lengths and Fighting King was still bringing up in the rear. At the village bend Spotted Sand came almost level with the leaders and at the home bend Benz, who was being well held, came up and fought it out with Sir Colin, getting home by half a length. Fighting King who had gradually worked through the pack came in third, a length and a half behind. Time 2 mins 7 4/5 secs.

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Pari-mutuel:—
Winner, \$ 15.20
Places:—1st \$ 5.20
" 2nd \$ 5.10
" 3rd \$ 5.20

Cash Sweeps:—
Ticket No. 144 1st \$ 2,484.40
" 544 2nd \$ 709.80
" 551 3rd \$ 354.90
Unplaced ponies \$ 75.00
Commission \$ 906.00
Total \$ 4,530.00

Unplaced ponies, \$25.00 each; ticket Nos. 640, 544, 525, 368, 144, 551.

Sir Paul's Empire Dahlia, 151lb (Mr. Bulteel) 1
Mr. Gilpin's Ajax, 158lb (Mr. Knoll) 2
Messrs. G. H. Potts and Ellis Hayim's Allied King, 155lb (Mr. Hill) 3

Mr. Cottager's The Ameri, 155lb (Mr. Seth) 0
Sir Ellis Kadoorie's Hongkong Chief, 161lb (Mr. Moller) 0
Mr. R. Macgregor's Churchill, 155lb (Mr. Dupree) 0

Allied King took the lead from a fairly good start and led all the way round. Passing the Football Stand the second time Hongkong Chief had taken the lead and Churchill was running third. Hongkong Chief was still in front at the Rock and Ajax had taken over second place from Allied King. On the home run Dahlia came out strongly and kept ahead till the post, winning from Ajax by three lengths. Two lengths behind, Allied King and Hongkong Chief put up a stern struggle for third place and the former won. Time 4 min.

7.—THE CAUSEWAY BAY STAKES.—Winner \$600. Second \$200. Third \$100. For Subscription Grifins of this Season. Weight for inches as per scale. (Jockey Allowance). Entrance \$10. One Mile.

Pari-mutuel:—
Winner, \$ 26.30
Places:—1st \$ 9.00
" 2nd \$ 7.40
" 3rd \$ 7.20

Cash Sweeps:—
Ticket No. 837 1st \$ 2,494.80
" 397 2nd \$ 712.50
" 40 3rd \$ 356.40
Unplaced ponies \$ 300.00
Commission \$ 966.00
Total \$ 4,830.00

Unplaced ponies, \$25.00 each; ticket Nos. 659, 301, 56, 203, 73, 40, 397, 45, 688, 837, 784, 905, 566, 775, 613.

Lady Chater's Bull Finch, 152lb (Mr. Vida) 1
Mr. Allaire's Robbie Dog, 159lb (Mr. Doyle) 2
Dr. F. H. Kow's Wallaby, 150lb (Mr. Hill) 3
Mrs. John Bell-Irving's Gabriel Junia, 155lb (Mr. Bell-Irving) 0
Mr. Cottager's Fearhat Leg, 150lb (Mr. Nemaze) 0
Mr. Cragholm's Arvakur, 153lb (Mr. Fisher) 0
Mr. Duds' Fishop, 150lb (Mr. Remedios) 0
Mr. Dyer's Killiecrankie, 155lb (Mr. Bulteel) 0

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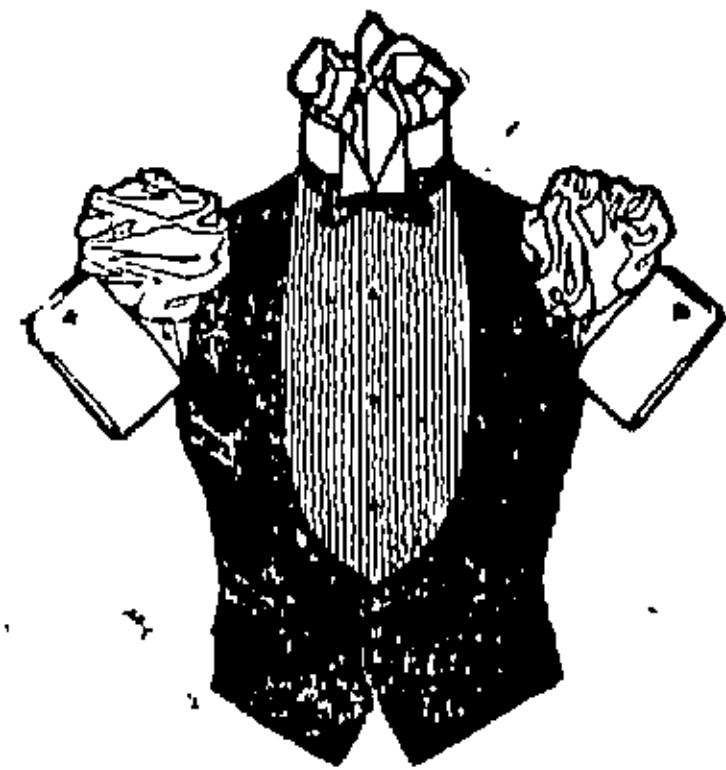
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The proceedings opened with an excellent concert programme ably presented by the students, assisted by Rev. Fr. Riganti, Mr. Ed. McCarthy, Professor Gonzales and Mr. Harry Ore. Professor Gonzales's contributions included violin, phone-fiddle and banjo solos, accompanied at the piano by Mr. Ore. Eleven pupils took part in a Juvenile Parliamentary Debate (subject: "School Holidays Bill"). The boys sustained their parts well, and their excellent enunciation greatly impressed the audience. Those taking part were: C. Silva (Speaker), M. Fishman, S. Copey, F. X. Silva, A. Muller, A. Gmenez and P. Castilho (Government), C. Osmund, M. Silva, G. Fung, G. d'Aquino, J. Dillon and L. E. de Sousa (Opposition).

THE REPORT.

The Rev. Bro. Michael, Director of the College, then presented his report as follows:—

Your Excellency Lordship, Rev. Clergy, Ladies and Gentlemen.—Owing to the transfer of Rev. Bro. Marican to Singapore, it has become my pleasing and most agreeable task to welcome your Excellency and your Gracious Lady to our prize giving, and to say in my own name, and that of our entire staff that we appreciate the honour you have conferred upon us, and heartily thank you for the same. Your visit this afternoon is a most convincing proof of the interest you have always taken in our College, and shows how anxious you are to have it the banner school of the Colony.

The report that I submit to your Excellency has been the work of Rev. Bro. Marican and his devoted staff, as well as that of Rev. Bro. Aimar. No other Brother has done as much for St. Joseph's College as Brother Aimar. It was through his influence, being greatly assisted by His Lordship who went so far as to mortgage his house to raise the required earnest money, that this present property has been secured and our new school erected, which from an architectural point of view, has no rival in the Colony. It was he also who secured our branch school in Kowloon. This good Brother is still on leave, but it is hoped that he will be with us again before the close of the present year.

Our average enrolment during the past year was 593 and our average attendance 534. Our Kowloon branch school had an enrolment of 80 and an average attendance of 76. As yet we have not been able to impress upon the minds of some parents the great importance of regular attendance. For the most trifling reason and imaginary illness they keep their children from school, thus forgetting that punctuality and faithfulness to duty must be insisted upon in youth. A better understanding and a more thorough

knowledge of the work done in class would be reached if the parents or guardians paid more attention to the weekly reports, monthly tests and quarterly examinations which each student regularly receives.

Mr. E. Ralph, Inspector of English schools in his report for 1921 says, "I visited and inspected the College on the 8th and 9th of December, and found everything in excellent condition and he recommended it for the highest possible grant."

The result of the Hongkong University Examinations for June and December 1921 are—Matriculation 17, Seniors 12, and Juniors 53, ten of whom won distinction. The names have been already published in the daily papers.

REVISED SYLLABUS

I wish to remark here that we are revising our syllabus where great attention is given to English in all its phases as well as to science and to special commercial branches so that beginning with the present year, no boy will be promoted to a higher class in the college unless he passes the required examinations. All will agree that the best judges of a boy's ability are those who have kept a strict account of his work during the year. I am pleased to state that a very high percentage of Portuguese boys who finish in the elementary classes are continuing in the higher classes. It is our hope and wish that these young men will not discontinue their studies until they have gone through the University.

We are still teaching exclusive of English, two European languages viz., French and Portuguese. The French Consul has presented a most valuable prize to the first student in that language, while the Portuguese Consul has placed at our disposal three scholarships which will be available in 1922. There is a gold medal given to the first student in the Chinese language. By looking through the subscription lists, I can promise as many scholarships for the leading Chinese students, as the Chinese have never refused me any request that I made for the benefit of the boys.

Our Boarding Department has been everything that could be desired. Thank God we have had no sickness during the year. In this Department, quality, not quantity, has been sought, and this is why we have so many on our waiting list.

ATHLETIC SUCCESSSES.

On the Athletic Field I am able to state without boasting that we have carried off a great many trophies including the three team races, the Junior and Senior Championships, and the Hongkong Football League Shield and Intermediate and Junior cups, and also the Hongkong Football League Cup (IInd Division), thus showing that we are adhering to the old adage to leave nothing undone to have a sound mind in a sound body; to accomplish this we have physical drill in all the classes three times a week under the direction of a most competent instructor.

On October 12, 1921, the College was visited by a committee appointed by the Board of Education. This is what they say about the new school: "It is admirable in every detail, but the playground between the two buildings being of earth is unsatisfactory, as when it rains the boys bring the mud into the class rooms and when a dry spell comes, the wind blows the dust into the rooms."

This was seen by us long before the inspection, but the "dinero" was wanting. However, two months ago, we made an appeal to the students so with their contributions and our assistance, we were able to have it concreted. We have, however, to leave a great many almost necessary things undone, for the want of means.

This present building has been wearing her widow's weeds since 1914, and we have not been able to get enough of money together to have it painted. In the near future I intend making a "drive" in order to clear off our debts, so I hope when our collectors call on these gentlemen they will remember the widow's mite. The commission also stated that they hoped the Government would help in the expense of erecting a covered passage between the two buildings, that might be used as an assembly Hall and a gymnasium. I am happy to state that the Government has already voted \$10,000 towards this building. I must take an exception to one remark of the commission "that the age limit was not observed in many cases, as Chinese boys of 17 and 18 were studying with Portuguese boys of 13 and 14, and that St. Joseph's College was especially intended for Portuguese boys." This age limit may have been overlooked in a few cases, but it is not the rule and since the Chinese New Year, none over the proper age have been admitted. I wish also to state that this college is principally for all Catholic boys in the Colony, regardless of nationality, and in pursuing this course, I am carrying out the English Law. But this does not mean that none but Catholics are admitted, as we have at the present time, among the 700 boys now on our register, more than 200 students belonging to almost every Creed and some to no Creed at all.

NEED OF A LABORATORY.

Although we are fairly equipped to carry out the present Educational requirements, we have still a great need, viz., a laboratory, where our advanced students will receive instruction in Physics, Chemistry and Biology. These branches will not only be of great help to those boys who intend entering the University—they will also greatly benefit those who intend following a business course, by teaching them to think for themselves. We have a suitable site for such a building just below our present new school, and if I were not trespassing too much on the generosity of the Government, I would ask for a building grant for this laboratory. I am sure there are many gentlemen on the prize list whose names are linked with every enterprise that is for the uplifting of the youth of this Colony, who would not only contribute the other half, but would equip at least one of these proposed classes.

In conclusion, I wish to thank our generous prize donors and in an especial manner Your Excellency, the Hon. Colonial Secretary as well as the Director of Education and the Inspector of English schools for the assistance you have been always ready to give us. Never have you refused any appeal that was for the advancement of Education. Such generosity on the part of the Government imposes on us an obligation to leave nothing undone, to impress on our students respect for authority, obedience to law, a horror for those baneful socialist societies whose object is to ruin and make of every country what they have already made of Russia—a land of chaos and anarchy. We all know these evils cannot be prevented without religious education and Religious Instruction has always held the first place on our curriculum.

Addressing the gathering His Excellency said that he was somewhat pressed for time and must therefore be brief. He regretted that he must first correct a misunderstanding in the Director's report. It was perfectly true that his presence was proof of the interest he had taken in St.

RACE WEEK.

CORONET THEATRE'S FINE
COMEDY.

Race week finds the popular Coronet Theatre showing a programme that will entertain the lucky winner and cheer the despondent loser like humour quick and refreshing animating the principal attraction, a clever First National feature entitled "The Inferior Sex," based on the notable stage comedy of the same name by Frank Stayton. The leading role in the capable hands of Mildred Harris Chaplin, wife of the famous Charlie, this delightful picture can therefore boast a brilliant author, a skilled producer, and a talented star. Having already won immense favour with stage audiences, the plot requires no warranty. Given the wider scope of the screen, indeed, it is even more effective in its comic realism. Sufficient is it to mention that the mainspring is the intrigue with an imaginary lover by a young wife who has been told that the best way to regain her husband's love is in a circle that regards divorce as the inevitable sequel to marriage is to arouse his jealousy—"keep him guessing." How well she succeeds is proved by the fact that this is exactly what the picture itself does with the audience—keeps it guessing.

PICTURES FOR CHILDREN.

KOWLOON THEATRE'S SPECIAL
MATINEES.

Following the success of the cinema show arranged by Mrs. Severn and Mrs. Pollock for the children of Helena May Institute members and their friends, the management of the Kowloon Theatre announces that it will give a special matinee for children every Monday afternoon, reducing pictures in size if necessary to eliminate everything unsuitable for the youthful mind. Furthermore, in order to show the coming generation that jazz now almost inevitable at every entertainment does not represent the best music, the orchestra programmes will comprise selections from Sullivan's very joyous Gilbert light opera music. This afternoon will see this interesting venture undertaken with Charles Ray's "His Own Home Town" reduced from five to three reels for showing to children supplemented by other suitable pictures. Of course pictures censored for children will be shown in their original form at the usual evening performances.

Joseph's College, but it did not necessarily follow that he wished to see St. Joseph's College the banner school of the Colony. He did not wish to say it in the presence of the Director of Education. (Laughter). All he would like to say was that he wanted to see all the schools in the Colony on the same level as St. Joseph's College. (Applause). He wanted to see them as successful both on the mental and physical sides as St. Joseph's College had been and he wanted them to give such sound good character training as the Christian Brothers were well known to have been giving throughout the world. One material point in the report that was intended for him was about the proposal to establish a laboratory. He had taken a great interest in the growth of the College and he thought the Rev. Brother Director would agree that the College had already received very considerable sums from the Government. He was glad that the money had been given, for it had been excellently spent. With regard to the proposal, he would not promise anything, especially, as he had said, in the presence of the Director of Education, He would not make any promise which he was not sure he could keep. If the Brother Director would approach the Government at a later date he would be assured of the most sympathetic consideration of his appeal. (Applause).

YACHTING.

CHOPPY WEATHER SPOILS.

SATURDAY'S RACING.

A strong East wind whipped up a choppy sea in the harbour on Saturday afternoon when the 8th Championship for racing yachts took place. It spoilt what should otherwise have been an interesting race. Several boats called it off and some of those who essayed a start were all but swamped before the gun went. The wind went down a bit as the afternoon wore on and sailing conditions improved slightly in consequence. The course was Pillar Rock (S), a total distance of 11.5 miles. The results were:—

Yachts.	H'cap on Course.	Corrected Time.
Diana.....	1.55	4.55.50
Colleen.....	6.42	4.55.54

Position.	For Race.	Previous Points.	Total Pts. to Date.
Diana.....	1	6	30
Colleen.....	2	4	24
Did not start.—Sonia, Rolls, and Dorothea.			

HEYWARD HAYS CLASS "Y."

Yachts.	H'cap on Course.	Corrected Time.
Ursula.....	Scratch	5.24.55
Spray.....	do.	5.31.16
Boojum.....	4.47	5.32.29
Lady Cloacina.....	Scratch	5.38.51

Position.	For Race.	Previous Points.	Total Pts. to Date.
Ursula.....	1	11	61
Spray.....	2	9	38
Boojum.....	3	8	28
Lady Cloacina.....	4	7	49
Did not start.—The Gladys Sealark, Winifred, Sirius, Lois and Owl.			

GAIL CLASS "G."

No starters.

LATEST SHIPPING NEWS.

ARRIVALS.

Unda (A. P. C.) from Singapore.—K. Dock.
Euryalus, (B. I. S. N. Co.) from Singapore.—K. Bay.
Kwong Chow, (B. & S.) from Hoihow.—B 22.
Van Overstatten (J. E. J. L.) from Amoy.—A 3.
West Chapoko, (Struthers & Barry) from San Francisco, Shanghai.—B56.
Soshu Maru (O. S. K.) from Takao, Swatow.—B51.
Macassar Maru (Nanyo Y. K.) from Samarang, Bolekappan.—B24.
Ginyo Maru (T. K. K.) from Valparaiso, Moji.—A5.
Yamihair Maru, (Noumra & Co.) from Keelung.—A52.
Teichung, (Yee Tai Hong,) from Shanghai, Amoy.—T. Dock.

CLEARANCES.

Yodo Maru, (M. B. K.) for Whampoa.—Feb. 19.
Macassar Maru, (Nanyo Y. K.) for Kobe via Moji.—Feb. 19.
Hangchow, (B. & S.) for Shanghai.—Feb. 19.

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DAIRY FARM NEWS.

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Gouda (Full Cream).....	.85 " "
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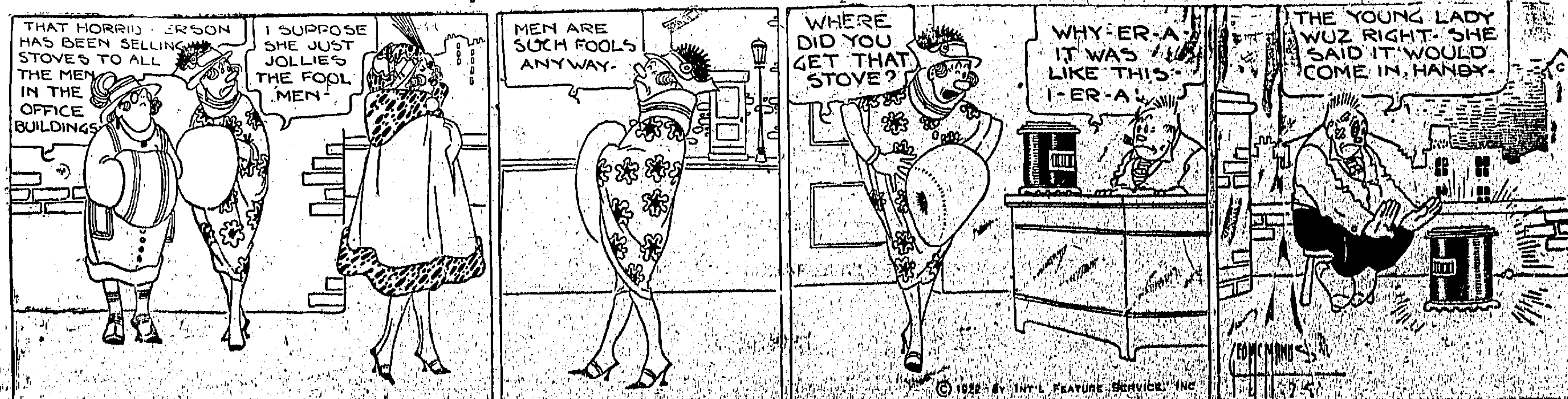
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HONGKONG'S 1922 RACE MEETING.

(Continued from Page 4.)

Mrs. G. B. Hartford's Kinsha 156lb. (Mr. Dupree) 0
Hon. Mr. P. H. Holyoak's Ricebird, 152lb. (Mr. White) 0
Messrs. Hosie and Lay's Deuces Wild, 158lb. (Mr. Seth) 0
Mr. F. H. Kew's Kangaroo, 155lb. (Mr. Soares) 0
Mr. Hector Sassoon's Roman Sunset, 155lb. (Mr. Moller) 0
The Gang's Ace-pot, 152lb. (Mr. Pinkerton) 0
Mr. C. R. Thompson's Muzz, 150lb. (Mr. Thompson) 0

The big field got away well and for most of the way round Bullfinch kept a couple of lengths ahead of Robbie Doo and Fearthat Leg who were keeping side by side. After passing the Rock, Fearthat Leg began to drop back and Wallaby came up to challenge Robbie Doo. Bullfinch romped home an easy winner by many lengths and Robbie Doo beat Wallaby by a short head for second place.

Time 1min. 36 3/5 secs.
8.—THE TRIAL PLATE.—Winner \$600. Second \$200. Third \$100. For China Ponies bona fide Griffins on date of entry. Weight for inches as per scale. Subscription Griffins of both Classes of this Season 1921-1922 allowed 7lb. extra. (Jockey allowance.) Entrance \$10. Allowances accumulative. One Mile and a quarter.

Pari-mutuel: Winner, \$ 11.50
Places:—1st \$ 6.80
" 2nd \$ 11.80
" 3rd \$ 11.90

Cash Sweeps: Ticket No. 773 1st \$ 2627.10
" 718 2nd \$ 750.60
" 711 3rd \$ 375.30
Unplaced ponies \$ 75.00
Commission \$ 557.00
Total \$4,785.00

Unplaced ponies, \$25.00 each; ticket Nos. 561, 570, 665, 773, 718
Mr. Hector Sassoon's Roman Pride, 155lb. (Mr. Moller) 1
Mr. H. Birkett's Shining Star, 155lb. (Mr. Doyle) 2
Sir Paul's Martial Dahlia, 155lb. (Mr. Knoll) 3

Messrs. J. Bell-Irving and J. Paterson's Mulum in Parvo, 152lb. (Mr. Bell-Irving) 0
Sir Paul's Sincerity Dahlia, 155lb. (Mr. Burkill) 0
Mr. Soares's Duncoon, 158lb. (Mr. Soares) 0

The horses left the post in a bunch and kept together for most of the way. Mulum in Parvo led first but soon afterwards Sincerity Dahlia took charge. Shining Star came up then and they kept together until the Rock was passed only to be replaced by Roman Pride who won by three lengths. Shining Star ran into second place three lengths ahead of Martial Dahlia.

Time 2min. 49 3/5 secs.

9.—THE GARRISON CUP.—Presented by the Officers of the Garrison, with \$400 added to the Winner. Second \$250. Third \$150. For Subscription Griffins of any Season. Weight for inches as per scale. Winners at previous Meeting 3 lb. extra. Penalties accumulative. (Jockey allowance.) Entrance \$10. From the Two Mile Post Once Round and in.

Pari-mutuel: Winner, \$ 13.50
Places:—1st \$ 6.70
" 2nd \$ 10.60
" 3rd \$ 12.00

Cash Sweeps: Ticket No. 283 1st \$ 2594.20
" 102 2nd \$ 741.20
" 118 3rd \$ 370.60
Unplaced ponies \$ 150.00
Commission \$ 964.00
Total \$4,820.00

Unplaced ponies, \$25.00 each; ticket Nos. 102, 475, 282, 302, 548, 686, 4, 116, 930.

Sir Ellis Kadoorie's Repulse Bay Chief, 159lb. (Mr. Hill) 1
Mr. John Bell-Irving's Miserrimus Doleful, 158lb. (Mr. Dupree) 2
Mr. Duds' Pawnshop, 157lb. (Mr. Remedios) 3

Mr. John Bell-Irving's Tiddleywinks, 162lb. (Mr. Bell-Irving) 0
Lady Chater's Gold Finch, 158lb. (Mr. Soares) 0

Mr. Dyer's Kilmarnock, 153lb. (Mr. Burkill) 0
Dr. C. Forsyth's Neston, 149lb. (Mr. Doyle) 0

Mrs. Montague Ede's Flotsam, 155lb. (Mr. Burkill) 0
Hon. Mr. A. G. Stephen's Aloha, 152lb. (Mr. Pinkerton) 0

After there had been one false start the field got away nicely and Repulse Bay Chief soon came to the front showing the way to Kilmarnock and Miserrimus Doleful. The Chief kept ahead all the way and soon Pawnshop came up to give Miserrimus Doleful a run for second

place. That trio kept together for the rest of the way, Repulse Bay Chief eventually winning by three lengths with Miserrimus Doleful five lengths ahead of Pawnshop.

Time, 2 min. 24 1/5 secs.

10.—THE RACING STAKES.—Winner \$600. Second \$200. Third \$100. For Griffins on date of entry and Ponies that have never won a Race. Subscription Griffins of both Classes of this Season 1921-1922 allowed 5 lb. Weight for inches as per scale. Winners barred. (Jockey allowance.) Entrance \$10. One Mile.

Pari-mutuel: Winner, \$ 93.00
Places:—1st \$ 7.80
" 2nd \$ 6.50
" 3rd \$ 6.50

Cash Sweeps: Ticket No. 517 1st \$ 2,503.20
" 543 2nd \$ 715.20
" 409 3rd \$ 357.80
Unplaced ponies \$ 100.00
Commission \$ 919.00
Total \$4,595.00

Unplaced ponies, \$25.00 each; ticket Nos. 517, 543, 678, 288, 585, 409, 704.

Hon. Mr. A. G. Stephen's Hatton, 146lb. (Mr. Pinkerton) 1
Mr. A. A. Alves' Bolshevic, 155lb. (Mr. Knoll) 2

Mr. H. Birkett's Sun Star, 149lb. (Mr. Doyle) 3
Mr. John Bell-Irving's Scampdale, 155lb. (Mr. Bell-Irving) 0
Mr. Duds' Toyshop, 150lb. (Mr. Remedios) 0

Sir Paul's Defiance Dahlia, 158lb. (Mr. Burkill) 0
Sir Paul's Jewel Dahlia, 152lb. (Mr. Soares) 0

It was as good a race as was seen during the day. There was a fine start and Hatton took charge at once from the much fancied Sun Star and Dual Dahlia. Toyshop came up to third place just before the Rock and was closely followed by Bolshevic. There was a great fight for places when they got on to the home run. Bolshevic made an exciting finish of it with Hatton and lost by a neck. Bolshevic is third two lengths behind.

Time. 21 1/3 secs.

11.—THE JOCKEY CLUB STAKES.—Winner \$600. Second \$200. Third \$100. For China Ponies. Weight for inches as per scale. Subscription Griffins of both Classes of this Season 1921-1922 allowed 10 lb. Winners at this Meeting 5 lb. extra. Entrance \$10. One Mile and a Quarter.

Pari-mutuel: Winner, \$ 10.80
Places:—1st \$ 7.00
" 2nd \$ 20.10

Cash Sweeps: Ticket No. 479 1st \$ 2,420.60
" 833 2nd \$ 631.60
" 298 3rd \$ 845.80
Unplaced ponies \$ 50.00
Commission \$ 877.00
Total \$4,385.00

Unplaced ponies, \$25.00 each; ticket Nos. 298, 479, 845, 833, 315.

Sir Paul's Empire Dahlia, 161lb. 152lb. (Mr. Vida) 1

Sir Paul's White Star Dahlia (late Golden Knob), 152lb. (Mr. Burkill) 2

Messrs. G. H. Potts and Ellis Hayim's Mighty King 155lb. (Mr. Hill) 3

Mr. Henry Humphreys's Speckled Mouse, 155lb. (Mr. Knoll) 0

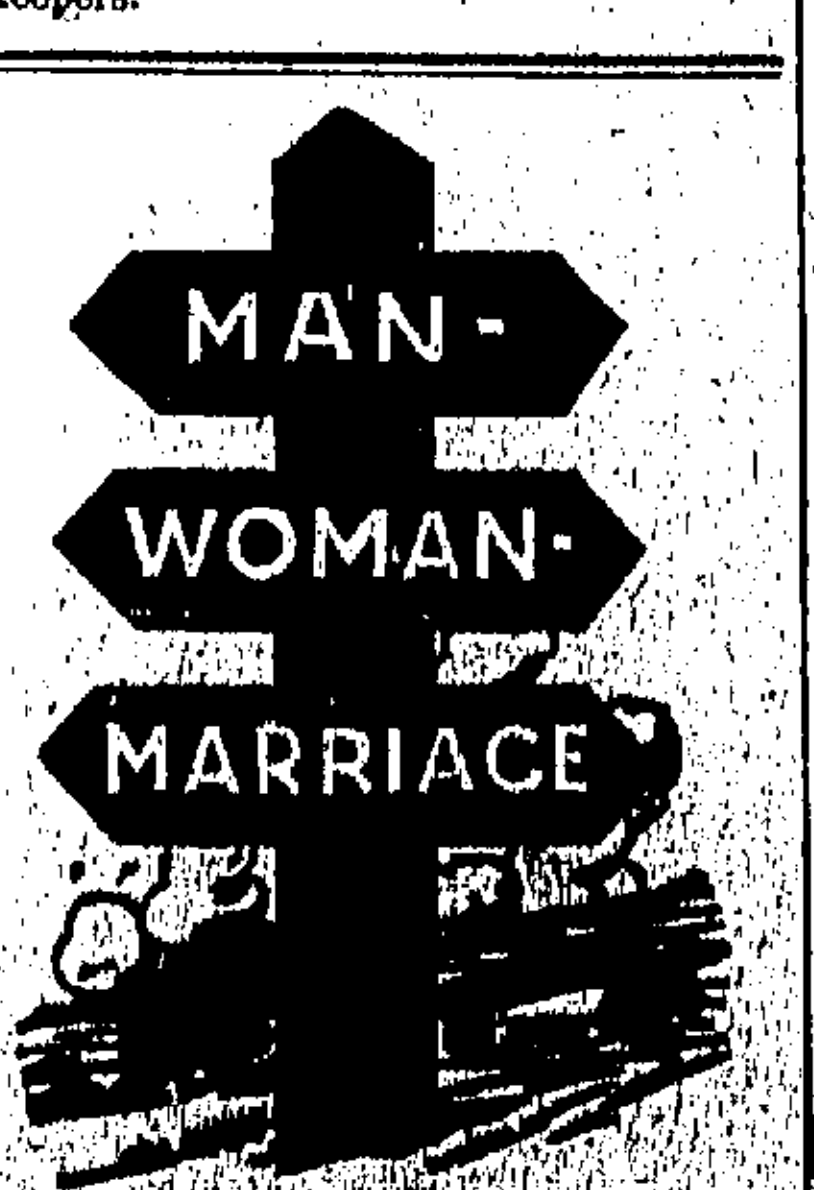
Mr. Hector Sassoon's Roman Dawn (late Daybreak), 152lb. (Mr. Moller) 0

The start was a poor one and Honesty Dahlia led all the way, finishing up the winner by two lengths. In the later stages Speckled Mouse and Mighty King fought it out for places, the latter finishing second many lengths ahead.

Time 2min. 43 2/5 secs.

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CONSIGNEES' NOTICES.

Hongkong cargo per s.s. "Benreoch" will be landed at Shanghai and returned to this port when conditions here permit. Agents.—Gibb Livingston & Co., Ltd.

Cargo from the s.s. "West Chopaka" not cleared by Feb. 27 will be subject to port dues and cargo will be examined the same day at 9.30 a.m. Agents.—Struthers and Barry.

Hongkong cargo per the s.s. "West Faral n" transhipped at Shanghai is arriving here by the s.s. "West Cho. aka." Agents.—Struthers and Barry.

The old British battleship "Vengeance" arrived at Dover from Cherbourg in tow has to be broken up. While being towed up the Channel from Devonport she broke away from the tugs during a north-easterly gale and was lost for two days, afterwards being taken to Cherbourg.

TO-DAY'S ADVERTISEMENTS.

WISEMAN, LIMITED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Transfer Books of the Company will be closed on TUESDAY, the 23rd of February, 1922 on which date no transfer of shares can be registered.

By Order of the Board of Directors.
D. R. KHARAS,
Secretary.

Hongkong February 18, 1922

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TO LET—3 NEW OFFICE ROOMS, in Central locality from 1st April. Apply SANG KEE, c/o Comptroller Department, Hongkong & Shanghai Bank, Des Voeux Road entrance.

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As Usual.

TABLES MAY BE RESERVED.

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2.30 p.m. to 6.30 p.m. and 8.30 p.m. to 10.30 p.m.

Lady Stubbs will perform the opening ceremony at 2.30 and H.E. Major-General Sir John Fowler, K.C.M.G., C.B., D.S.O., will preside.

The proceeds will be divided equally between the Hospital at Yunnanfu, and St. Dunstan's Home for Blind Soldiers.

FEATURES OF THE "DAY OF HELP."

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TO-DAY'S ADVERTISEMENTS

NAVY CONTRACTS 1922-1923.

SEALED TENDER, in duplicate, for the supply of the under-mentioned Stores for H.M. Naval Service at Hongkong during the period 1st April 1922 to 31st March 1923 will be received by the Commodore, H.M. Naval Yard, until noon on Monday the 6th March 1922:—

Fresh Vegetables.
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H.M. Naval Depot,
Kowloon,
February 1922.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that we have used a certain Trade Mark or Label with the word "Formazone" thereon in connection with certain mineral water manufactured by us and that we have, as from the 18th day of February 1922, discontinued the use of such Trade Mark or Label.

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Hongkong, February 20, 1922.

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NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

From SAN FRANCISCO & LOS ANGELES via HONOLULU, PORTS & SHANGHAI.

THE Steamship

"WEST CHOPAKA."

Having arrived from above ports on Monday, February 20th, 1922, Consignees are hereby notified to present their bills of Lading in exchange for Delivery Orders and take immediate delivery from alongside steamer. All cargo not taken delivery of from the steamer by the 21st February, will be landed into the hazardous and/or extra-hazardous godowns of the Hon-Shan Godown Co., Kennedy Town, at their risk, whence delivery may be obtained. Storage will be assessed on cargo remaining undelivered after Monday, February 27th, 1922.

All broken, chafed and damaged cargo will be examined at the Hon-Shan Godown, Kennedy Town, on Monday, February 27th, at 10.30 a.m. Consignees of Cargo per s.s. "West Faral n" are advised that same is arriving Hongkong by the s.s. "West Chopaka" having been transhipped at Shanghai to the latter vessel.

No Claims will be recognized after goods have left the steamer or godown, and none will be entertained if presented later than ten days after arrival of steamer.

No Fire Insurance whatever will be effected.

STRUTHERS & BARRY,

Agents, U.S.S.B. Emergency

Fleet Corps.,

Hongkong, February 20, 1922

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S.S. "BENREOCH,"
From LEITH, ANTWERP,
MIDDELSBRO, LONDON & STRAITS.

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Consignees are accordingly recommended to make the necessary arrangements as regards Insurance etc.

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Hongkong, February 20, 1922.

TO SECRETARIES OF CLUBS AND OTHER INSTITUTIONS.

ALL preliminary notices of forthcoming meetings, lectures and entertainments, sent for insertion in the news columns of the "China Mail," are charged for at the rate of \$1 each, (as announced in May and June of last year) providing that they do not occupy more than four lines. In future if this space is exceeded they will be placed in the advertising columns at the prevailing rates.

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6011 (I DON'T CARE
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LEAGUE MATCHES.

C.R.C. v. C.S.C.

This closely contested match resulted in a win for the Civil Service by 3 wickets and 7 runs with 15 minutes to spare. Ng Sze Kwong 50 and Sayer 43 were the best batsmen for the respective sides. Sayer took 5 wickets for 31 and 10 runs and de Rome 4 each for 29 and 31 respectively. Lai Kuen had 3 for 30.

LEAGUE MATCHES.	Played	Points.
Kowloon	6	14
Civil Service	6	13
R.G.A.	7	10
I.R.C.	7	9
University	5	8
C.R.C.	7	5
Craigengower	5	1

LEAGUE TABLE.

FIRST DIVISION.

LEAGUE MATCHES.	Played	Points.
Kowloon	6	14
Civil Service	6	13
R.G.A.	7	10
I.R.C.	7	9
University	5	8
C.R.C.	7	5
Craigengower	5	1

SECOND DIVISION.

LEAGUE MATCHES.	Played	Points.
I.R.C.	7	15
Kowloon	7	14
R.A.M.C.	6	9
Police	8	7
C.R.C.	4	6
Civil Service	6	4

FRIENDLY MATCHES.

H.K.C.C. v. VARSITY.

The Club were too strong for the University and inflicted a crushing defeat by 3 wickets and 64 runs.

LEAGUE MATCHES.	Played	Points.
A. A. Rumjahn, c Webster	11	11
Lammett	0	0
T. E. Yeoh, b Parthing	0	0
P. A. Redmond, c Hancock	0	0
Farthing	2	2
A. Houlm, b Young	13	13
M. H. Roffey, c Hancock, b White	13	13
A. N. Bellachet, c Edwards	2	2
White	2	2
R. A. Ponsbury, c Webster	15	15
J. L. Young, c Young	15	15
P. E. Choo, c McNeill, b Young	11	11
W. Vickers, b Webster	8	8
Dr. Cland Severn, not out	2	2
Extras	2	2
Total	89	89

UNIVERSITY.

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A. A. Rumjahn, c Webster	11	11
Lammett	0	0
T. E. Yeoh, b Parthing	0	0
P. A. Redmond, c Hancock	0	0
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LEAGUE MATCHES.	Played	Points.
Lammett	7	20
Farthing	7	12
Young	9	15
White	7	26
Edwards	6	11
Webster	4	3
Extras	11	11
Total (8 wks.)	128	128

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TENNIS CHAMPIONSHIPS.

THE DRAWINGS.

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First round.—D. S. Green v. Capt. P. H. Davies; D. J. Purves v. E. Busschaert; L. Jack v. N. Trambitzky; Major J. R. Lloyd v. V. Yvanovich; T. Lay v. S. A. Rumjahn; H. Krebs v. S. H. Ismail.

Byes, to meet in next round.—R. Townsend; M. H. Lo v. Wong Po-ke; E. C. Fincher v. M. W. Lo; J. B. Penman v. G. M. Dodwell; Y. M. Tsun v. C. Willson; E. E. Brown v. O. Rumjahn; L. Nelson v. M. D. C. Sandberg.

Present champion: Ng Sze-kwong.

OPEN DOUBLES.

Byes, to meet in next round.—C. Willson and G. W. Sewill v. L. Jack and G. W. Hyde.

First round.—H. D. Rumjahn and A. H. Rumjahn v. M. D. C. Sandberg and N. Trambitzky; A. Grimmer and J. Pearson v. M. W. Lo and M. K. Lo; Major J. R. Lloyd and A. B. Roworth v. E. de Bousa and F. Prata; Lt. A. S. Lindell and R. E. Lindell v. S. A. Rumjahn and O. Rumjahn; D. J. Purves and A. C. Johnstone v. E. Busschaert and R. C. Wittebel; Wong Po-keung and V. Yvanovich v. J. B. Penman and J. D. Humphreys; M. H. Lo and C. Choo v. W. Lock Wei and Ng Sze-kwong; J. R. Wood and A. D. Ball v. L. de Lau and K. W. Lane; F. L. Lau and T. Lay v. A. A. Rumjahn and S. H. Ismail; R. K. Valentine and D. J. Valentine v. J. Rodger, Jr. and G. Rodger; Surg. Lt. G. H. Hays and Payeur, Comdr. F. Vining v. H. Krebs and E. E. Brown; F. A. Redmond and G. R. Sayer v. Yew Man-tau and Wong Po-ke.

Byes, to meet in next round.—R. C. Smith and G. M. Dodwell v. C. C. Stark and R. C. Cormie.

Present champions: R. and H. Hancock.

CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP.

Byes, to meet in next round.—A. B. Roworth v. Capt. P. H. Davies; D. J. Valentine v. R. M. Smith, Lt. A. S. Lindell v. E. L. Leader.

First round.—G. Miskin v. R. K. Valentine; C. Willson v. K. W. Lane; R. M. Henderson v. C. G. Perdue.

Byes, to meet in next round.—F. A. Redmond; F. A. Dinsdale v. G. M. Dodwell; L. Nelson v. G. W. Sewill; M. D. C. Sandberg v. C. C. Stark.

Present champion.—J. B. Penman.

YAU MATI BANDITS.

Their tea finished, two customers in a Yau mati eating house on Saturday suddenly produced revolvers. The astonished accountant jumped off his stool behind the counter. One man fired at the stool and in the ensuing commotion the other pulled open the counter drawer and stole \$32. Both men then made good their escape.

FANCY DRESS BALL.

To-night's fancy dress ball at the City Hall in aid of the Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals promises to be a notable event in the social life of the Colony. Already there has been a large demand for tickets, and the impression having gained currency that these have been exhausted the *China Mail* has been requested to make it known that tickets will be available at the door of the City Hall this evening, price \$3 each including supper.

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DON'T RISK PNEUMONIA.

Get it if every cold as quickly as possible. It is the forerunner of all pulmonary trouble, and pneumonia may develop in a few hours. It is a simple thing to do, but the effect is marvellous. For sale by all Chemists and Storekeepers.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

One case of small pox, Chinese, was reported on Saturday.

Bitten by a dog, a Chinese has been taken to hospital from West Point.

The transfer books of Messrs Wiseman Ltd., will be closed on Tuesday, February 28.

A year ago to-day the police made a \$50,000 opium haul on a cargo boat in the harbour.

Professor Danenberg's pupils are to give their eighth annual pianoforte recital at the City Hall, on Monday March 6 at 5.30 p.m.

The latest move in local mergers is the securing by the Hongkong Hotel Company of a controlling interest in Messrs. Wm. Powell Ltd.

Among those who left by the "Golden State" on Saturday was Mr. Leighton Hope, who has been American Vice-Consul here for five years.

The annual general meeting of the Kowloon Residents' Association will be held in the St. Andrew's Hall, Kowloon, on Tuesday, February 28 at 6 p.m.

A moquito net caught fire in a Queen's Road West flat yesterday. There was some excitement for a time but the flames were easily extinguished.

Knocked down by a ricksha in Que's Road East on Saturday, a Chinese boy is now in the Government Civil Hospital suffering from a fractured arm.

Yesterday afternoon a thief entered the room occupied by the manager of the motor bus company, Nathan Road Kowloon, and stole property worth \$200.

Threatened with poles by four men, a Chinese and his wife stopped near Tai Shek Ku, between Yau mati and Kowloon City, on Saturday evening, had no recourse but to surrender a box containing clothing worth \$14.60.

Returning to Kowloon City along the Yau mati Road yesterday evening, a ricksha was set upon near the Matalok Road by two men one of whom seized his jacket while the other stole all his money—twenty cents—and his licence.

The Columbia Pacific Shipping Company's s.s. "West Keats" left Shanghai on Sunday morning and is due here Wednesday morning (February 22). The "West Keats" is bringing down cargo overcarried by the s.s. "West Cayote."

Because the watch required winding every 24 hours and the complainant, a Chinese woman, said it would go for three days, Magistrate Lindell dismissed the case against a young Bank of China clerk charged on Saturday with its theft.

The Colony is promised a novelty to-morrow night in the Kowloon Theatre's roulette dance. This evening the peninsula cinema will screen Paramount's "His Own Home Town," featuring Charles Ray in the role of a resourceful young man who rises from a tramp to a newspaper magnate under the impulse of love.

A day of help will be held in the St. Andrew's Church Hall and Grounds, Nathan Road, Kowloon, on Tuesday March 7 from 2.30 p.m. to 6.30 p.m. and 8.30 p.m. to 10.30 p.m. Lady Stubbs will perform the opening ceremony at 2.30 and H. E. Major-General Sir John Fowler, K.C.M.G., C.B., D.S.O., will preside. The proceeds will be divided equally between the Hospital at Yau mati, and St. Dunstan's Home for Blind Soldiers.

Features of the "day of help" include a sale of works, a bedouin tent, a missionary court, light talks, line-theatre, a few hours, a cinema, a matograph films, realistic scenes of Indian life, and choir of 200 voices. Refreshments will be served.

The O.P.S. R.M.S. "Monteagle" arrived at Shanghai on Feb. 18 (4 p.m.) and left there Feb. 19 (4 a.m.) and is due at M. J. on Feb. 21 (4 a.m.).

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STRIKE NEWS.

CANTON COMMENT.

"WE ARE ALL IN THE SAME BOAT."

The prospects for a settlement of the Seamen's Strike are much better. Now that the Seamen and the ship owners have been brought together in conference through the mediation of the Chinese organizations in Hong Kong, every effort should be made to keep them negotiating until they reach a settlement and the seamen go back to work, says a *Canton Times* leader.

The *Times* has made very little comment on the strike because we felt nothing could be gained by repeating rumours, or adding fuel to the flames in any way whatsoever. We recognized that the only way to approach a settlement was to get both sides in a frame of mind to negotiate, and get back to the point where the former negotiations were most stupidly broken off. It were better to ignore the mistakes made by both sides instead of emphasizing them. Then, when the Strike is settled, and the conditions become normal again, we may review the incidents of the strike for the purpose of drawing some valuable lessons.

Now it appears both sides have recovered from their first hysteria and the "sweet reasonableness" which we mentioned in a former editorial is about to prevail. Both the ship owners and the seamen realize their interdependence. The community as a whole realizes how essential it is for the public welfare, that employer and employee co-operate on terms of mutual respect.

As usual, the real sufferers from the Strike are those who have had nothing to do with it and could not prevent what took place. It has been pointed out time and time again that the Chinese are the hardest hit by this strike. The loss in money and the waste in commodities has been enormous. When the province can ill afford such losses, how can any one in his sober senses wish to prolong the strike?

It has been said the Chinese are always ready to compromise. Many apparently impossible situations have been solved because of this tendency on the part of the Chinese not to push things to extremes. A door is always left open so that the party who gets the worse of an argument may retreat from his position gracefully, and without the complete loss of "face." Foreigners who have had many years of experience with the Chinese know and understand this characteristic of our people. As long as there is possibility for negotiations a situation is never hopeless. So any act that would exclude the possibility for further negotiation should be avoided. If terms are not acceptable, instead of meeting them with a flat refusal, the presentation of counter terms would be the natural alternative. This keeps alive the negotiations and leaves the door toward a compromise wide open. Gradually, the negotiators will find themselves reaching a basis for an agreement, and unless one of the parties to the conference stands out for something utterly unreasonable, (which seldom happens) matters can be readjusted amicably.

So let us all work to create an atmosphere conducive to the promotion of clear thinking. Let us frown down everything that engenders bad feeling and suspicion. In a way, we are all in the same boat so why try to sink it?

In spite of the rain, Republic Bay Hotel was patronized to its full capacity on Saturday night.

Amongst the attractions were Mr. Jazz (Will Head) and his charming partner, the Melody Girl (Miss Rita Shield) who both excelled themselves with their delightful entertainment.

When Mr. Hender starts his wonderful manipulations and Xylophone melodies you simply must jazz many delighted diners learned on Saturday night.

Tenders for naval stores are called for by an advertisement in this issue.

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Stranmer Mond & Co. (China) Ltd.
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21 Wellington Street. Tel. 1433.
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Agents, 33-34 Wellington Street and
No. 38 Nathan Road, Kowloon.

Electrical Suppliers
The Globe Electrical Supply Co.
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Electrical Work Under Expert
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Accessories.** 10 Pottinger St. Tel. 3580.

**The Sun Light Co., Ltd., Electrical
Supplies and Contractors.** 137, Des
Vaux Road, Central. Tel. 2237.

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Lawson Furniture Co., Furniture
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and Office, Schools, Hotels, etc., 32,
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**G. Ito, Co. Ltd., L. Queen's Road
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Central, K. Chi Chung (Manager),
Kwong King Hun (Asst.) Tel. 2159.**

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Exporters & Commission Agents.
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NKKO—Japanese fine art, curios,
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Nam Hing Loong,
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General Storekeepers, Wine & Clear
Merchants. General Importers,
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Commission Agents.
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Telephone No. 2124.

Universal Commercial Co.,
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parties. 212, Queen's Road, 44,
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Mr. H. K. Long, Manager.
72-72A Queen's Rd. Central. Tel. 2137.

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Marques, South Africa, India via
Dhanushkodi, Egypt & EUROPE
via MARSEILLES. Registration 8.45
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THE FASHION YEAR

UNPOPULARITY OF THE
BLOUSE.

Fashion's doings during the year
1921 are reviewed in the current issue
of the *Draper's Record*. It has been a
year of no drastic changes, but "more
hopeful prospects" are augured for
1922.

Parisienne are said to be starting
the "breaking-in" process and are
endeavouring to reduce their natural
20 or 30 inch waist measurements to
21 or 22 inches, but at present
Englishwomen are not following their
example.

As for the crepe-on-crepe which
reached such a height during the
summer, it is surmised that favour
will be given to other fabrics during
the coming summer. As regards the
now popular colour, it is said that
citron seems to be rivaling lemon in
popularity, and the other pleasing
tints are the new Madama blue,
laquer red, peacock blue, and all
tones of brown. The all black dress
which swept over Paris has only been
followed to a limited extent.

PASSENGERS.

ARRIVALS.

Para. s. "Ivo Maru" on Feb. 17.—Mr.
C. R. Crispin, Messrs D. A. D. Mont-
gomery, Mr. D. M. Whymond, Mr. R.
Critt, Miss D. F. Maie, Messrs Kim
Sik, Wong Lung, Mr. J. H. and Mrs. J.
R. Montgomery, Messrs F. T. R. Wala, B.
Whitmore, Mr. R. S. and Mrs. E. M. F.
Beyan, Mr. King Qing and Mr. Lee Fuo.

DEPARTURES.

Para. s. "Ivo Maru" on Feb. 18.—
Mr. C. R. Crispin, Mr. D. M. Whymond,
Mr. R. Critt, Miss D. F. Maie, Messrs
Mahomed Khan, F. Kaktel, I. Tomoda,
K. Norano, M. Tanishi, S. Niwa,
Messrs E. Woody, Tiger G. Y. Mori,
M. Hayashihara, K. Koy, and T. Naka-
mura.

1921, it is stated, has not been a
propitious one for blouses, and there
was a less demand than ever for
white voile blouses. There is more
favour for the jumper blouse, and
the simple one-piece frocks, which
can be run up quickly at home, have
evidently had much to do with the
fading of the blouse from the ward-
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CLATURE.

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an application by the Hongkong Rope
Manufacturing Co. to vary its memo-
randum of association. His Lordship
decided to reserve for consideration
the question whether he should re-
quire some alteration in the name of
the Company in view of the proposed
extension of its objects—to build
houses for work people and, in-
cidentally, to invest reserve funds.

An affidavit by the chairman of
the Company set